

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1 line 14 with the following paragraph:

a! In order to accomplish the above-mentioned object, in accordance with a first aspect of the present invention, there is proposed a plated synthetic resin member for a vehicle including a main body made of a synthetic resin and a plating coat formed on the surface of the main body and having a metallic gloss, wherein the main body is molded from a translucent synthetic resin, the plating coat formed on the surface of the main body is translucent, and the main body has a built-in lamp that can light up. The plated member corresponds to a lock release lever 3 and an operating knob 13 45 in embodiments of the present invention which will be described below, and the main body corresponds to a lever main body 5 and a knob main body 15.
